School Data Protection Policy

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1. Introduction

Haslingfield Endowed Primary School collects and uses personal information about staff, pupils, parents and other individuals who come into contact with the school. This information is gathered in order to enable it to provide education and other associated functions. In addition, there may be a legal requirement to collect and use information to ensure that the school complies with its statutory obligations.

Schools have a duty to be registered, as Data Controllers, with the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) detailing the information held and its use. These details are then available on the ICO's website. Schools also have a duty to issue a Fair Processing Notice to all pupils/parents, this summarises the information held on pupils, why it is held and the other parties to whom it may be passed on.

2. Purpose

This policy is intended to ensure that personal information is dealt with correctly and securely and in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998, and other related legislation. It will apply to information regardless of the way it is collected, used, recorded, stored and destroyed, and irrespective of whether it is held in paper files or electronically.

All staff involved with the collection, processing and disclosure of personal data will be aware of their duties and responsibilities by adhering to these guidelines.

3. What is Personal data/Information?

Personal information or data is defined as data which relates to a living individual who can be identified from that data, or other information held.

4. The Data Controller and the Designated Data Controllers

The School is the Data Controller under the 1998 Act and the Governors are therefore ultimately responsible for implementation. The Designated Data Controllers will deal with the day to day matters. The School has three Designated Data Controllers: Headteacher, School Finance Administrator and School Administrative Assistant.

Any member of staff, parent or other individual who considers that the policy has not been followed in respect of personal data/information about himself/herself or their child should raise the matter with one of the Designated Data Controllers.

5. Data Protection Principles

The Data Protection Act 1998 establishes eight enforceable principles that must be adhered to at all times:

- 1. Personal data shall be processed fairly and lawfully;
- 2. Personal data shall be obtained only for one or more specified and lawful purposes;
- 3. Personal data shall be adequate, relevant and not excessive:
- 4. Personal data shall be accurate and where necessary, kept up to date;
- 5. Personal data processed for any purpose shall not be kept for longer than is necessary for that purpose or those purposes;
- 6. Personal data shall be processed in accordance with the rights of data subjects under the Data Protection Act 1998;
- 7. Personal data shall be kept secure i.e. protected by an appropriate degree of security;

8. Personal data shall not be transferred to a country or territory outside the European Economic Area, unless that country or territory ensures an adequate level of data protection.

6. General Statement

The school is committed to maintaining the above principles at all times. Therefore the school will:

- Inform individuals why the information is being collected when it is collected
- Inform individuals when their information is shared, and why and with whom it was shared
- Check the quality and the accuracy of the information it holds
- Ensure that information is not retained for longer than is necessary
- Ensure that when obsolete information is destroyed that it is done so appropriately and securely
- Ensure that clear and robust safeguards are in place to protect personal information from loss, theft and unauthorised disclosure, irrespective of the format in which it is recorded
- Share information with others only when it is legally appropriate to do so
- Set out procedures to ensure compliance with the duty to respond to requests for access to personal information, known as Subject Access Requests
- Ensure our staff are aware of and understand our policies and procedures

7. Responsibilities of Staff

All staff are responsible for:

- Checking that any data/information that they provide to the School in connection with their employment is accurate and up to date.
- Informing the School of any changes to information that they have provided either at the time of appointment or subsequently. The School cannot be held responsible for any errors unless the staff member has informed the School of such changes.

If and when, as part of their responsibilities, staff collect data/information about other people e.g. pupils work, ability, personal data/information etc. they must comply with this policy. See also the Pupil Records Management Policy.

All staff are responsible for ensuring that:

- Any personal data/information that they hold is kept securely.
- Personal data/information is not disclosed either orally or in writing or via the web or by any other means, accidently or otherwise, to any unauthorized third party.

Staff should note that unauthorized disclosure will usually be a disciplinary matter, and may be considered gross misconduct in some cases.

8. Rights to Access Information

All staff, parents and other parties are entitled to know:

- What data/information the School holds and processes about them or their child and why.
- How to gain access to it.
- How to keep it up to date.
- What the School is doing to comply with its obligations under the 1998 Act.

The School will, upon request, provide all staff and parents and other relevant parties with a statement regarding the personal data held about them. This will state all the types of data the School holds and processes about them and the reasons for which they are processed.

All staff, parents and other parties have a right under the 1998 Act to access certain personal data/information being kept about them of their child either electronically or in certain files. Any person who wishes to exercise this right should make a written request to the Headteacher. Refer to the Appendices for further details regarding the information request process.

Single copies of the information requested by this Data Protection Policy will be provided free of charge unless there is a significant amount of work or photocopying costs incurred with the request. In these cases the School will make a £10 charge.

The School aims to comply with such requests as quickly as possible, but will ensure that it is provided within 40 days as required by the 1998 Act.

9. Retention of School Information

The School has a duty to retain some staff and pupil personal data/information for a period of time following their departure from the School, mainly for legal reasons, but also for other purposes such as being able to provide references or academic transcripts. Different categories of data/information will be retained for different periods of time. Refer to Appendix B for details of documents and the related retention periods.

10. Complaints

Complaints will be dealt with in accordance with the school's complaints policy. Complaints relating to information handling may be referred to the Information Commissioner (the statutory regulator).

11. Review

This policy will be reviewed as it is deemed appropriate, but no less frequently than every 3 years. The policy review will be undertaken by the Headteacher, or nominated representative.

12. Contacts

If you have any enquires in relation to this policy, please contact the Headteacher of Haslingfield School, who will also act as the contact point for any subject access requests.

Further advice and information is available from the Information Commissioner's Office, www.ico.org.uk or telephone 03031231113

Appendix A

Haslingfield Endowed Primary School

Procedures for responding to subject access requests made under the Data Protection Act 1998

A.1. Rights of access to information

There are two distinct rights of access to information held by schools about pupils.

- 1. Under the Data Protection Act 1998 any individual has the right to make a request to access the personal information held about them.
- 2. The right of those entitled to have access to curricular and educational records as defined within the Education (Pupil Information) (England) Regulations 2005.

These procedures relate to subject access requests made under the Data Protection Act 1998.

- A.2. Actioning a subject access request
- A.2.1. Requests for information must be made in writing; which includes email, and be addressed to the Headteacher. If the initial request does not clearly identify the information required, then further enquiries will be made.
- A.2.2. The identity of the requestor must be established before the disclosure of any information, and checks should also be carried out regarding proof of relationship to the child. Evidence of identity can be established by requesting production of:
 - passport
 - driving licence
 - utility bills with the current address
 - Birth / Marriage certificate
 - P45/P60
 - Credit Card or Mortgage statement

This list is not exhaustive.

- A.2.3. Any individual has the right of access to information held about them. However with children, this is dependent upon their capacity to understand (normally age 12 or above) and the nature of the request. The Headteacher could discuss the request with the child and take their views into account when making a decision. A child with competency to understand can refuse to consent to the request for their records. Where the child is not deemed to be competent an individual with parental responsibility or guardian shall make the decision on behalf of the child. (Be aware that the child could be placed in an inappropriate situation if a parent /carer makes a request and the child refuses it.
- A.2.4. The school may make a charge for the provision of information, dependant upon the following:

- Should the information requested contain the educational record then the amount charged will be dependent upon the number of pages provided.
- Should the information requested be personal information that does not include any information contained within educational records schools can charge up to £10 to provide it.
- If the information requested is only the educational record viewing will be free, but a charge not exceeding the cost of copying the information can be made by the Headteacher.

The response time for subject access requests, once officially received, is 40 days (not working or school days but calendar days, irrespective of school holiday periods). However the 40 days will not commence until after receipt of fees or clarification of information sought

The response time for records containing solely educational information is 15 school days. This time period takes into account weekends and school holidays. The 15 days will not commence until after the receipt of fees or clarification is sought.

- A.2.5. The Data Protection Act 1998 allows exemptions as to the provision of some information; therefore all information will be reviewed prior to disclosure.
- A.2.6. Third party information is that which has been provided by another, such as the Police, Local Authority, Health Care professional or another school. Before disclosing third party information consent should normally be obtained. There is still a need to adhere to the 40 day statutory timescale.
- A.2.7. Any information which may cause serious harm to the physical or mental health or emotional condition of the pupil or another should not be disclosed, nor should information that would reveal that the child is at risk of abuse, or information relating to court proceedings.
- A.2.8. If there are concerns over the disclosure of information then additional advice should be sought.
- A.2.9. Where redaction (information blacked out/removed) has taken place then a full copy of the information provided should be retained in order to establish, if a complaint is made, what was redacted and why. As far as possible, the requestor should be given an explanation as to why the information was removed (eg related to another child)
- A.2.10. Information disclosed should be clear, thus any codes or technical terms will need to be clarified and explained. If information contained within the disclosure is difficult to read or illegible, then it should be retyped.
- A.2.11. Information can be provided at the school with a member of staff on hand to help and explain matters if requested, or provided at face to face handover. The views of the

applicant should be taken into account when considering the method of delivery. If postal systems have to be used then registered/recorded mail must be used.

A.3. Complaints

Complaints about the above procedures should be made to the Chairperson of the Governing Body who will decide whether it is appropriate for the complaint to be dealt with in accordance with the school's complaint procedure.

Complaints which are not appropriate to be dealt with through the school's complaint procedure can be dealt with by the Information Commissioner. Contact details of both will be provided with the disclosure information.

A.4. Contacts

If you have any queries or concerns regarding these policies / procedures then please contact the Headteacher.

Further advice and information can be obtained from the Information Commissioner's Office, www.ico.org.uk

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B.1. Child Protection

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
1.1	Child Protection files	Yes	Education Act 2002, s175, related guidance "Safeguarding Children in Education", September 2004	DOB + 25 years ¹	SECURE DISPOSAL
1.2	Allegation of a child protection nature against a member of staff, including where the allegation is unfounded	Yes	Employment Practices Code: Supplementary Guidance 2.13.1 (Records of Disciplinary and Grievance) Education Act 2002 guidance "Dealing with Allegations of Abuse against Teachers and Other Staff" November 2005	Until the person's normal retirement age, or 10 years from the date of the allegation whichever is the longer	SECURE DISPOSAL

¹This amendment has been made in consultation with the Safeguarding Children Group.

B.2. Governors

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
2.1	Minutes				
	 Principal set (signed) 	No			Secure disposal

² From January 1st 2005 subject access is permitted into unstructured ling systems and log books and other records created within the school containing details about the activities of individual pupils and members of staff will become subject to the Data Protection Act 1998.

	• Inspection	No		Date of meeting +3	SECURE DISPOSAL[If
	copies	INO		years	these minutes
	copies			years	
					contain any
					sensitive personal
					information they
					should be
					shredded]
2.2	Agendas	No		Date of meeting	SECURE DISPOSAL
2.3	Reports	No		Date of report + 6 years	Retain in school for 6
					years from date of
					meeting
2.4	Annual Parents'	No		Date of report + 6 years	Retain in
	meeting papers				school for 6
					years from
					date of
					meeting
2.5	Instruments of	No		Permanent	Retain in school whilst
	Government				school is open
2.6	Trusts and	No		Permanent	Retain in school
	Endowments				whilst
					operationally
					required
2.7	Action Plans	No		Date of action plan + 3	SECURE DISPOSAL
2.,	/ tetion i lans	110		years	
2.8	Policy documents	No		Expiry of policy	Retain in school whilst
					policy is operational
					(this includes if the
					expired policy is part of
					a past decision making
					process)
2.9	Complaints files	Yes		Date of resolution of	Retain in school for the
				complaint + 6 years	first six years Review
					for further retention
					in the case of
					contentious disputes
					SECURE DISPOSAL routine
					complaints
2.10	Annual Reports	No	Education (Governors'	Date of report + 10 years	
	required by the		Annual Reports)		
	Department for		(England) (Amendment)		
	Education		Regulations 2002. SI 2002		
			No 1171		
2.11	Proposals for	No			Current year + 3 years
	schools to				
	become, or be				
	established as				
	Specialist Status				
	schools				

B.3. **Management**

3.1	Basic file description Log Books	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational] Date of last entry in the	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
	3			book + 6 years	school for 6 years from the date of the last entry
3.2	Minutes of the Senior Management Team and other internal administrative bodies	Yes		Date of meeting +5 years	Retain in the school for 5 years from meeting
3.3	Reports made by the head teacher or the management team	Yes		Date of report +3 years	Retain in the school for 3 years from meeting
3.4	Records created by head teachers, deputy head teachers, heads of year and other members of staff with administrative responsibilities	Yes		Closure of file + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
3.5	Correspondence created by head teachers, deputy head teachers, heads of year and other members of staff with administrative responsibilities	No		Date of correspondence + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
3.6	Professional development plans	Yes		Closure + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL

3.7	School development plans	Yes	Closure + 6 years	Review
3.8	Admissions - if the admission is successful	Yes	Admission + 1 year	SECURE DISPOSAL
3.9	Admissions - if the appeal is unsuccessful	Yes	Resolution of case + 1 year	SECURE DISPOSAL
3.10	Admissions – Secondary Schools - Casual	Yes	Current year + 1 year	SECURE DISPOSAL
3.11	Proofs of address supplied by parents as part of the admissions process	Yes	Current year + 1 year	SECURE DISPOSAL
3.12	Supplementary Information form including additional information such as religion, medical conditions etc.			

B.4. **Pupils**

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
4.1	Admission Registers	Yes		Date of last entry in the book (or file)+6 years Re consider Retention Period. Feedback from Teaching Relative was thought to be7 Year Retention. These records are no longer generated in paper but electronically held using SIMS BROCON software.	Retain in the school for 6 years from the date of the last entry then consider transfer to the Archives
4.2	Attendance registers	Yes		Date of register + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL[If these records are retained electronically any back up copies should be destroyed at the same time]

4.3	Pupil Files Retained in Schools	Yes			
4.3a	• Primary			Retain for the time which the pupil remains at the primary school	Transfer to the secondary school (or other primary school) when the child leaves the school. In the case of exclusion it may be appropriate to transfer the record to the Pupil Referral Unit
4.3b	• Secondary		Limitation Act 1980	DOB of the pupil + 25 years ³	SECURE DISPOSAL
4.4	Pupil files	Yes			
4.4a	• Primary			Retain for the time which the pupil remains at the primary school	Transfer to the secondary school (or other primary school) when the child leaves the school. In the case of exclusion it may be appropriate to transfer the record to the Pupil Referral Unit
4.4b	 Secondary 		Limitation Act 1980	DOB of the pupil + 25 years 4	SECURE DISPOSAL
4.5	Special Educational Needs files, reviews and Individual Education Plans	Yes		DOB of the pupil + 25 years the review NOTE: This retention period is the minimum period that any pupil file should be kept. Some authorities choose to keep SEN files for a longer period of time to defend themselves in a "failure to provide a sufficient education" case. There is an element of business risk analysis involved in any decision to keep the records longer than the minimum retention period.	SECURE DISPOSAL

4.6	Correspondence Relating to Authorised Absence and Issues Examination results	No		Date of absence + 2 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
		Yes		Variable and Company	CECURE DICEOCAL
4.7a	• Public	No		Year of examinations +6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
4.7b	Internal examination results	Yes		Current year + 5 years ⁵	SECURE DISPOSAL
4.8	Any other records created in the course of contact with pupils	Yes/No		Current year + 3 years	Review at the end of 3 years and either allocate a further retention period or SECURE DISPOSAL
4.9	Statement maintained under The Education Act 1996 - Section 324	Yes	Special Educational Needs and Disability Act 2001 Section 1	DOB + 30 years	SECURE DISPOSAL unless legal action is pending
4.10	Proposed statement or amended statement	Yes	Special Educational Needs and Disability Act 2001 Section 1	DOB + 30 years	SECURE DISPOSAL unless legal action is pending
4.11	Advice and information to parents regarding educational needs	Yes	Special Educational Needs and Disability Act 2001 Section 2	Closure + 12 years	SECURE DISPOSAL unless legal action is pending
4.12	Accessibility Strategy	Yes	Special Educational Needs and Disability Act 2001 Section 14	Closure + 12 years	SECURE DISPOSAL unless legal action is pending
4.13	Parental permission slips for school trips - where there has been no major incident	Yes		Conclusion of the trip	SECURE DISPOSAL

4.14	Parental permission slips for school trips - where there has been a major incident	Yes	Limitation Act 1980	DOB of the pupil involved in the incident+ 25 years The permission slips for all pupils on the trip need to be retained to show that the rules had been followed for all pupils	SECURE DISPOSAL
4.15	Records created by schools to obtain approval to run an Educational Visit outside the Classroom - Primary Schools	No	3 part supplement to the Health & Safety of Pupils on Educational Visits (HASPEV) (1998).	Date of visit + 14 years ⁶	N
4.16	Records created by schools to obtain approval to run an Educational Visit outside the Classroom - Secondary Schools	No	3 part supplement to the Health & Safety of Pupils on Educational Visits (HASPEV) (1998).	Date of visit + 10 years	N
4.17	Walking Bus registers	Yes		Date of register + 3 years This takes into account the fact that if there is an incident requiring an accident report the register will be submitted with the accident report and kept for the period of time required for accident reporting	SECURE DISPOSAL[If these records are retained electronically any back up copies should be destroyed at the same time]

³ If these records are retained on the pupil file or in their National Record of Achievement they need only be kept for as long as operationally necessary.

⁴ As above

⁵ If these records are retained on the pupil file or in their National Record of Achievement they need only be kept for as long as operationally necessary.

⁶ This retention period has been set in agreement with the Safeguarding Children's Officer

B.5. **Curriculum**

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
5.1	School Development Plan	No		Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
5.2	Curriculum returns	No		Current year + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
5.3	Schemes of work	No		Current year + 1 year	It may be appropriate to review these records at the end of each year and allocate a new retention period or SECURE DISPOSAL
5.4	Timetable	No		Current year + 1 year	It may be appropriate to review these records at the end of each year and allocate a new retention period or SECURE DISPOSAL
5.5	Class record books	No		Current year + 1 year	It may be appropriate to review these records at the end of each year and allocate a new retention period or SECURE DISPOSAL

5.6	Mark Books	No	Current year + 1 year	It may be appropriate to review these records at the end of each year and allocate a new retention period or SECURE DISPOSAL
5.7	Record of homework set	No	Current year + 1 year	It may be appropriate to review these records at the end of each year and allocate a new retention period or SECURE DISPOSAL
5.8	Pupils' work	No	Current year + 1 year	It may be appropriate to review these records at the end of each year and allocate a new retention period or SECURE DISPOSAL
5.9	Examination results	Yes	 Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
5.10	Examination Papers and Results	Yes	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
5.11	PAN reports	Yes	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
5.12	Contextual Data	Yes	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
5.13	Self Evaluation forms	Yes	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL

B.6. Personnel Records held in Schools

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
6.1	Timesheets, sick pay	Yes	Financial Regulations	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.2	Staff Personal files	Yes		Termination + 7 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.3	Interview notes and recruitment records	Yes		Date of interview + 6 months	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.4	Pre-employment vetting information (including CRB checks)	No	CRB guidelines	Date of check + 6 months	SECURE DISPOSAL[by the designated member of staff]
6.5	Disciplinary proceedings:	Yes	Where the warning relates to child protection issues see 1.2. If the disciplinary proceedings relate to a child protection matter please contact your safeguarding children officer for further advice.		
6.5a	oral warning			Date of warning + 6 months	SECURE DISPOSAL 7
6.5b	written warning -level one			Date of warning + 6 months	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.5c	 written warning -level two 			Date of warning + 12 months	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.5d	final warning			Date of warning + 18 months	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.5e	• case not found			If child protection related please see 1.2 otherwise SECURE DISPOSAL immediately at the conclusion of the case	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.6	Records relating to accident/injury at work	Yes		Date of incident + 12 years In the case of serious accidents a further retention period will need to be applied	SECURE DISPOSAL

6.7	Annual appraisal/assessment records	No		Current year + 5 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.8	Salary cards	Yes		Last date of employment + 85 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.9	Maternity pay records	Yes	Statutory Maternity Pay (General) Regulations 1986 (SI 1986/1960), revised1999 (SI 1999/567)	Current year +3yrs	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.10	Records held under Retirement Benefits Schemes (Information Powers) Regulations 1995	Yes		Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
6.11	Proofs of identity collected as part of the process of checking "portable" enhanced CRB disclosure	Yes		Where possible these should be checked and a note kept of what was seen and what has been checked. If it is felt necessary to keep copy documentation then this should be placed on the member of staff's personal file.	

 $^{^{7}}$ If this is placed on a personal file it must be weeded from the file.

B.7. Health and Safety

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
7.1	Accessibility Plans		Disability Discrimination	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
			Act		
7.2	Accident Reporting		Social Security (Claims and		
			Payments) Regulations		
			1979 Regulation 25. Social		
			Security Administration Act		
			1992 Section8. Limitation		
			Act 1980		

7.2a	• Adults	Yes	Date of incident +7 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
7.2b	• Children	Yes	DOB of child + 25 years ⁸	SECURE DISPOSAL
7.3	COSHH		Current year + 10	
			years [where	
			appropriate an	
			additional	
			retention period	
			may be allocated]	
7.4	Incident reports	Yes	Current year + 20 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
7.5	Policy Statements		Date of expiry + 1 year	SECURE DISPOSAL
7.6	Risk Assessments	Yes	Current year + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
7.7	Process of monitoring of areas where employees and persons are likely to have become in contact with asbestos		Last action + 40 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
7.8	Process of monitoring of areas where employees and persons are likely to have come in contact with radiation		Last action + 50 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
7.9	Fire Precautions log books		Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL

⁸ A child may make a claim for negligence for 7 years from their 18th birthday. To ensure that all records are kept until the pupil reaches the age of 25 this retention period has been applied.

B.8. Administrative

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
8.1	Employer's Liability			Closure of the school + 40	SECURE DISPOSAL
	certificate			years	

8.2	Inventories of equipment & furniture	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
8.3	General le series	Current year + 5 years	Review to see whether a further retention period is required
8.4	School brochure or prospectus	Current year + 3 years	
8.5	Circulars (staff /parents/pupils)	Current year + 1 year	SECURE DISPOSAL
8.6	Newsletters, ephemera	Current year + 1 year	Review to see whether a further retention period is required
8.7	Visitors book	Current year + 2 years	Review to see whether a further retention period is required
8.8	PTA/Old Pupils Associations	Current year + 6 years	Review to see whether a further retention period is required

B.9. Finance

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
9.1	Annual Accounts		Financial Regulations	Current year + 6 years	
9.2	Loans and grants		Financial Regulations	Date of last payment on loan + 12 years	Review to see whether a further retention period is required
9.3	Contracts				

9.3a	• under seal			Contract completion date + 12 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.3b	under signature			Contract completion date + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.3c	monitoring records			Current year + 2 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.4	Copy orders			Current year + 2 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.5	Budget reports, budget monitoring etc.			Current year + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.6	Invoice, receipts and other records covered by the Financial Regulations		Financial Regulations	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.7	Annual Budget and background papers			Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.8	Order books and requisitions			Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.9	Delivery Documentation			Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.10	Debtors' Records		Limitation Act 1980	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.11	School Fund - Cheque books			Current year + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.12	School Fund - Paying in books			Current year + 6 years then review	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.13	School Fund - Ledger			Current year + 6 years then review	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.14	School Fund - Invoices			Current year + 6 years then review	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.15	School Fund - Receipts			Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.16	School Fund - Bank statements			Current year + 6 years then review	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.17	School Fund - School Journey books			Current year + 6 years then review	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.18	Student grant applications			Current year + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.19	Free school meals registers	Yes		Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
9.20	Petty cash books			Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL

B.10. **Property**

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
10.1	Title Deeds			Permanent	Permanent,
					these
					should
					follow the
					property
					unless the
					property
					has been
					registered
					at the Land
					Registry
10.2	Plans			Permanent	Retain in school
					whilst
					operational
10.3	Maintenance and contractors		Financial Regulations	Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
10.4	Leases			Expiry of lease + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
10.5	Lettings			Current year + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
10.6	Burglary, theft			Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
	and vandalism				
	report forms				
10.7	Maintenance log			Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
	books				_
10.8	Contractors' Reports			Current year + 6 years	SECURE DISPOSAL

B.11. Local Authority

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
11.1	Secondary transfer sheets(Primary)	Yes		Current year + 2 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
11.2	Attendance returns	Yes		Current year + 1 year	SECURE DISPOSAL
11.3	Circulars from LEA			Whilst required operationally	Review to see whether a further retention period is required

B.12. Department for Children, Schools and Families

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
12.1	HMI reports			These do not need to be kept any longer	
12.2	OFSTED reports and papers			Replace former report with any new inspection report	Review to see whether a further retention period is required
12.3 12.4	Circulars from			Current year + 6 years Whilst operationally required	Review to see whether a
	Department for Children, Schools and Families			requireu	further retention period is required

B.13. Connections

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
13.1	Service level agreements			Until superseded	SECURE DISPOSAL
13.2	Work Experience agreement			DOB of child + 18 years	SECURE DISPOSAL

B.14. Schools Meals

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
14.1	Dinner Register			Current year + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
14.2	School Meals			Current year + 3 years	SECURE DISPOSAL
	Summary Sheets				

B.15. Family Liaison Officers and Home School Liaison Assistants

	Basic file description	Data Prot Issues	Statutory Provisions	Retention Period [operational]	Action at the end of the administrative life of the record
15.1	Day Books	Yes		Current year + 2 years then review	SECURE DISPOSAL
15.2	Reports for outside agencies - where the report has been included on the case le created by the outside agency	Yes		Whilst the child is attending the school then destroy	SECURE DISPOSAL
15.3	Referral forms	Yes		While the referral is current	SECURE DISPOSAL
15.4	Contact data sheets	Yes		Current year then review, if contact is no longer active then destroy	SECURE DISPOSAL
15.5	Contact database entries	Yes		Current year then review, if contact is no longer active then destroy	DELETE
15.6	Group Registers	Yes		Current year + 2 years	SECURE DISPOSAL